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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 7939A-000028

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Title Two-Component Running Board

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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| <p>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)<br/><i>(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)</i></p> <p>2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status.<br/>See 37 CFR 1.27.</p> <p>3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification [Total Pages 12]<br/><i>(preferred arrangement set forth below)</i><br/>           - Descriptive title of the Invention <input checked="" type="checkbox"/><br/>           - Cross References to Related Applications <input checked="" type="checkbox"/><br/>           - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R &amp; D <input checked="" type="checkbox"/><br/>           - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix <input checked="" type="checkbox"/><br/>           - Background of the Invention <input checked="" type="checkbox"/><br/>           - Brief Summary of the Invention <input checked="" type="checkbox"/><br/>           - Brief Description of the Drawings (<i>if filed</i>) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/><br/>           - Detailed Description <input checked="" type="checkbox"/><br/>           - Claim(s) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/><br/>           - Abstract of the Disclosure <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 2]<br/>5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 3]<br/>           a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Newly executed (original or copy)<br/>           b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))<br/> <i>(for a continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)</i><br/>           i. <input type="checkbox"/> <b>DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)</b><br/> <i>Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).</i></p> <p>6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76</p> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification filed in English |
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8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (*if applicable, all necessary*)  
 a.  Computer Readable Form (CRF)  
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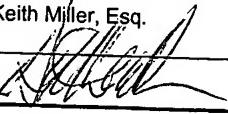
9.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10.  37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement  Power of Attorney  
*(when there is an assignee)*
11.  English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
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 Prior application information: Examiner \_\_\_\_\_
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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Number	unassigned yet
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## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001 750	2001 375	Utility filing fee	375		
1002 330	2002 165	Design filing fee			
1003 520	2003 260	Plant filing fee			
1004 750	2004 375	Reissue filing fee			
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional filing fee			

## SUBTOTAL (1)

(\$ 375)

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	10	-20 **	= 0	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	2	-3 **	= 0	X		0
Multiple Dependent				X		0

## Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description
1202 18	2202 9	Claims in excess of 20
1201 84	2201 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203 280	2203 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204 84	2204 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 18	2205 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

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1051 130	2051 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath			
1052 50	2052 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet			
1053 130	1053 130	Non-English specification			
1812 2,520	1812 2,520	For filing a request for reexamination			
1804 920*	1804 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
1251 110	2251 55	Extension for reply within first month			
1252 410	2252 205	Extension for reply within second month			
1253 930	2253 465	Extension for reply within third month			
1254 1,450	2254 725	Extension for reply within fourth month			
1255 1,970	2255 985	Extension for reply within fifth month			
1401 320	2401 160	Notice of Appeal			
1402 320	2402 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
1403 280	2403 140	Request for oral hearing			
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
1452 110	2452 55	Petition to revive – unavoidable			
1453 1,300	2453 650	Petition to revive – unintentional			
1501 1,300	2501 650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
1502 470	2502 235	Design issue fee			
1503 630	2503 315	Plant issue fee			
1460 130	1460 130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
1807 50	1807 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)			
1806 180	1806 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt			
8021 40	8021 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40		
1809 750	2809 375	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))			
1810 750	2810 375	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))			
1801 750	2801 375	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
1802 900	1802 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application			

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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